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INSTALLATION AND INSTRUCTION MANUAL

WASHER DRYER      EW 1246 W

 Electrolux

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## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

<b>DIMENSIONS</b>	Height	85 cm (33.5")
	Width	60 cm (26.6")
	Depth	60 cm (23.6")
<b>POWER SUPPLY VOLTAGE</b>		220-240 V / 50 Hz
<b>TOTAL POWER ABSORBED</b>		2550 W (13 A)
<b>WATER PRESSURE</b>	Minimum (hot)	5 psi
	Minimum (cold)	7 psi
	Maximum	110 psi
<b>MAXIMUM RECOMMENDED LOAD FOR WASHING</b>	Cotton, linen	13 lbs. (6 kg)
	Synthetics, delicate fabrics	4.5 lbs. (2 kg)
	Wool	2.2 lbs. (1 kg)
<b>MAXIMUM RECOMMENDED LOAD FOR DRYING</b>	Cotton, linen	6.5 lbs. (2.75 kg)
	Synthetics	4 lbs. (1.75 kg)
<b>SPIN SPEED</b>	Maximum	1200 rpm

This appliance complies with E.E.C. directive No. 87/308 of 2.6.87 relative to radio interference suppression.

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**YOU MUST READ THE WHOLE OF THIS INSTRUCTION BOOK BEFORE YOU USE THE APPLIANCE. FOLLOW THE ADVICE CAREFULLY.**

**KEEP THE BOOK FOR FUTURE REFERENCE. IF YOU SELL OR GIVE AWAY THE APPLIANCE, MAKE SURE THAT THE BOOK IS PASSED TO THE NEW OWNER.**

## **WARNINGS**

- The following warnings are provided in the interest of overall safety. You must read them before the appliance is installed or used.

## **INSTALLATION**

- This appliance is heavy. Care should be taken when moving it.
- All packaging and transit bolts must be removed before the appliance is used. Serious damage may occur if this is not done.
- Any plumbing work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified plumber or competent person.
- Any electrical work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified electrician or competent person.
- Make sure that the appliance does not stand on its electrical supply cable.

## **USAGE**

- Always unplug the appliance and turn off the water after use.
- Do not overload the appliance.
- Only wash fabrics which are designed to be machine washed. If in doubt, consult the manufacturer of the fabric.
- Make sure that all pockets are empty. Hard, sharp objects such as coins, safety pins, nails, screws or stones can cause extensive damage.
- In particular you should make sure that gas lighters (disposable or reusable) have not been left in any garments.
- Do not machine wash fabrics which are saturated with petroleum products. If volatile cleaning fluids have been used, make sure that they are thoroughly removed from the fabric before it is placed in the appliance.
- Use only the recommended quantities of fabric conditioner.
- Leave the porthole door slightly ajar between washes to preserve the door seal.
- Before you open the door of the machine check that the water has drained. Do not open the door if you can still see water.

- As some duvets and eiderdowns should be washed/dried in large commercial machines because of their bulk, please check with the manufacturer of the item before washing in a domestic machine, even if the dry weight of the item is within the limit advised.
- Only tumble dry fabrics which are designed to be tumble dried. If in doubt, consult the manufacturer of that item.
- Never tumble dry items that have had contact with chemicals such as dry cleaning fluid. These are of a volatile nature and could cause an explosion. Only tumble dry items which have been washed in water or require airing.
- Plastic detergent dispensers should not remain in the drum during the drying cycle, as the plastic used is not designed to withstand the heat.  
If you wish to wash-through-to-dry you should use the conventional detergent dispenser drawer.

## **SERVICE/REPAIR**

- You should not attempt to repair the machine yourself. Repairs carried out by inexperienced or unqualified persons may cause injury and/or more serious faults to the machine.
- This product should be serviced by an authorised Electrolux Service Centre only, and only genuine Electrolux spare parts should be used.

## **GENERAL SAFETY**

- It is dangerous to modify the specifications of this appliance in any way.
- This appliance is designed to be used by adults. Children should not be allowed to touch the controls or play with the product.
- Pets and small children may climb into washing machines. Check your appliance each time before use.
- The glass door becomes very hot during washing cycle. Keep children away from the appliance while it is in use.
- If the machine is situated on a carpeted floor, please adjust the feet to ensure that air can circulate freely.
- If it is necessary to open the door during the drying cycle, take care not to touch the inside of the glass porthole as this gets very hot.

# INSTALLATION

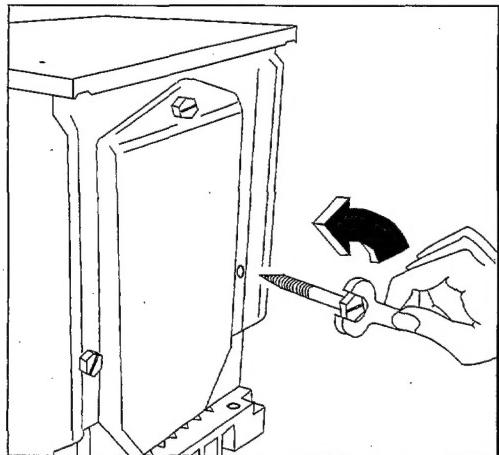
## Unpacking

All transit bolts and packing **must** be removed before using the machine.

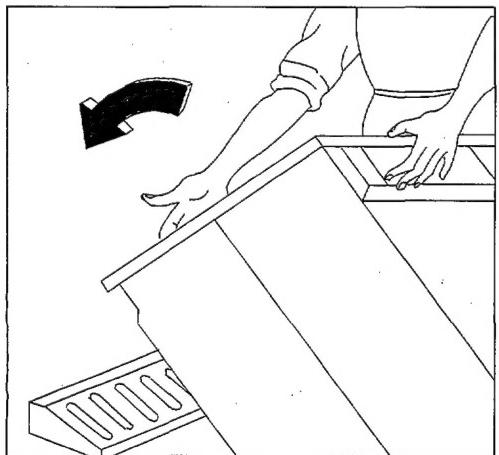
You are advised to keep all packing for re-use in case you move house and the machine has to be transported again.

Proceed as follows:

Remove (using a screwdriver or spanner) the screw on the right at the rear of the machine.

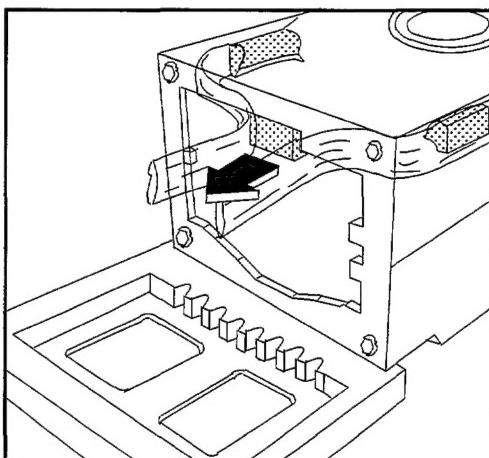


Carefully lay the machine on its back making sure that the hoses are not squashed.

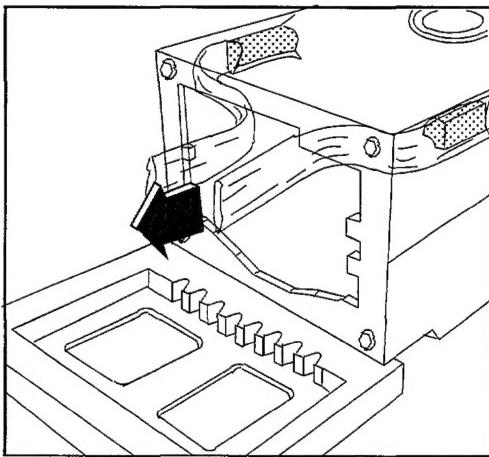


Remove the polystyrene panel from underneath the machine.

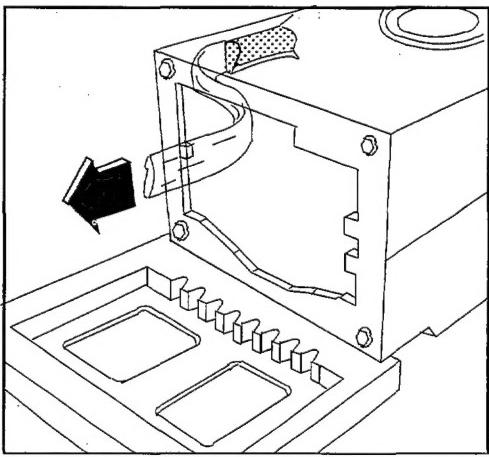
There is no need to keep this panel.



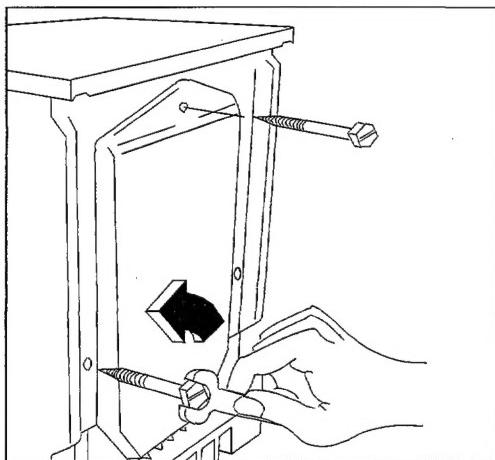
Carefully remove the polythene bag (on the right) by pulling it towards the centre of the machine.



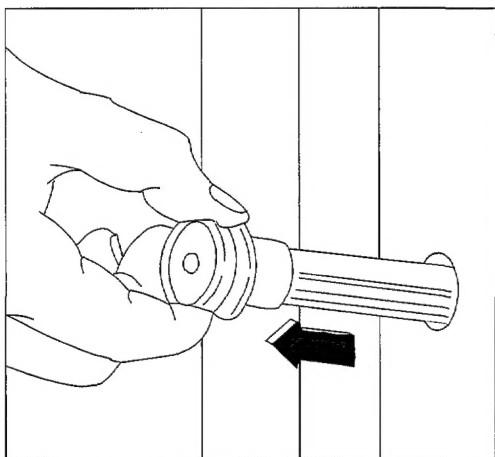
The left polythene bag can now also be removed from the machine.



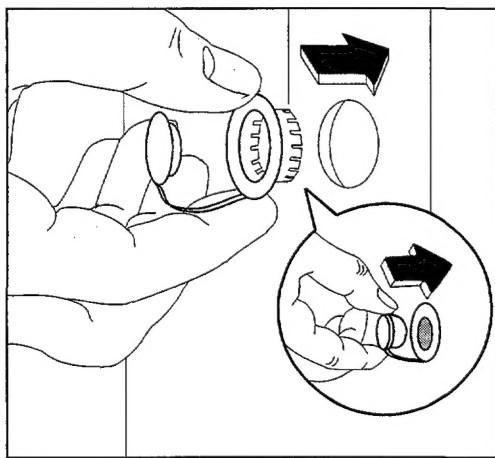
Set the machine upright and remove the remaining two screws on the back.



Remove the three plastic pins from the holes where the screws were previously fitted.



Plug the holes with the plugs supplied with the booklet.



## Positioning

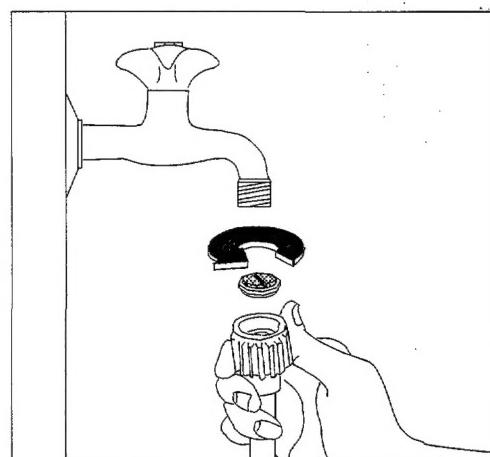
Position the machine on a firm level surface. Reinforce wooden floors with a solid wood panel (5 cm thick) or at least two boards. The supporting panel must protrude a few centimetres beyond the edge of the machine.

The machine must not touch the wall or other furniture.

It is assumed that the tap, drainage point and socket are within easy reach of the machine hoses and power supply cable. If not, you are advised to call your fitter in order to move the tap and/or drainage point and/or socket.

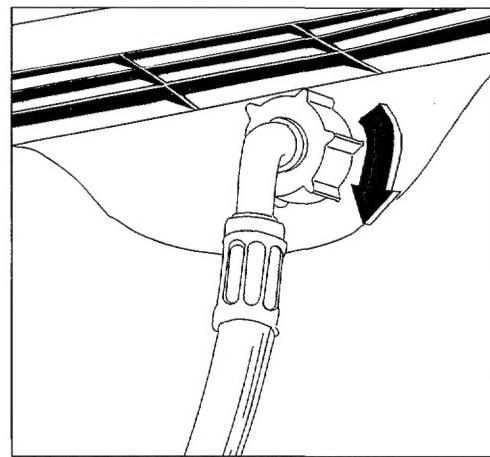
## Water inlet

The inlets on the back of the appliance are colour coded: blue for cold, red for hot. If only a cold water supply is available, connect the two hoses to a cold water outlet by means of a «Y» connection piece. Fit the rubber seal and connect the water inlet hoses to a tap with a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " gas thread spout.



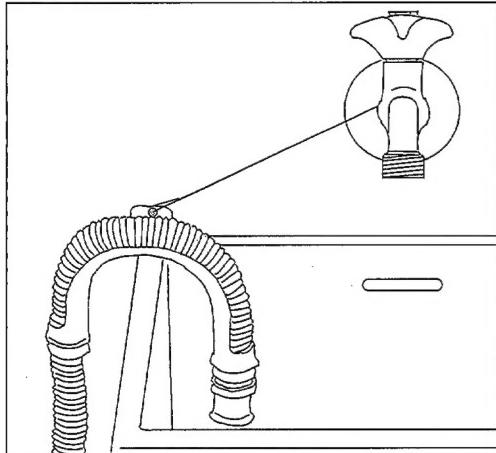
Although the machine is provided with its own aerator, your local water board may require the machine to be connected to a ventilated tap. If you know that the mains water supply pressure is often very high, fit a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " 23x4x4 mm reducer at the joint between the water inlet hoses and the washing machine. The inlet hoses must not be extended. If they are too short and you do not wish to move the tap, replace them completely with longer high pressure hoses specifically designed to solve problems of this type.

The other end of the inlet hoses connected to the machine can be turned in any direction. Simply loosen the fitting, rotate the hoses and retighten.



## Water drainage

The end of the drain hose can be positioned in three ways:



Over the edge of a basin: in this case you must ensure that the hose cannot move when the water is drained. Secure it to the wall with a hook, for example, or to the tap by means of a piece of string.

In a basin drainpipe branch: the branch must be above the basin siphon so that the end of the hose is at least 60 cm from ground level.

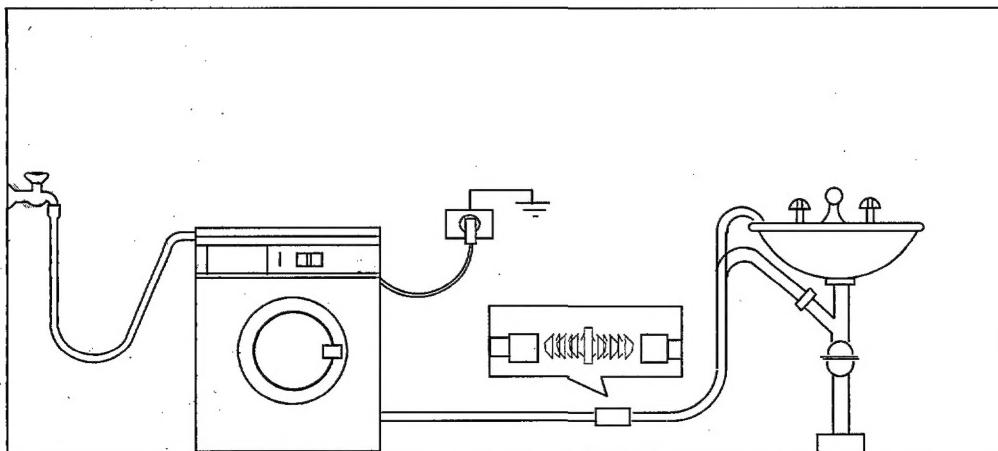
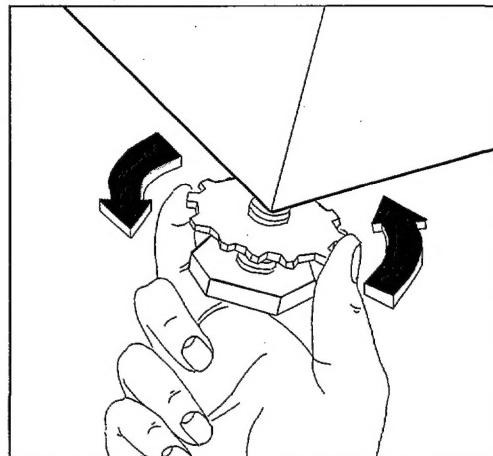
Directly in a drainpipe: you are advised to use a vertical 65 cm high pipe; in any case it should never be shorter than 60 cm or longer than 90 cm.

The end part of the drain hose must always be ventilated, i.e. the internal diameter of the pipe must be wider than the external diameter of the drain hose.

The drain hose can be extended up to a maximum length of 180 cm. Use an extension with an internal diameter at least equal to the diameter of the original hose and a suitable fitting. The hose extension will run along the floor and only the part near the drainage point will be raised.

## Levelling

Position the appliance and level it by tightening or loosening one or two of the adjustable feet. Ensure that the machine is resting securely with all four feet on the ground. Once the machine has been levelled, tighten up the lock nuts on all four feet.



## **Electrical connection**

### **WARNING**

**THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED.**

**The manufacturer declines any liability should this safety measure not be observed.**

1. If the plug fitted to the appliance is not suitable for your socket outlet, it must be cut off, and the appropriate plug fitted.

You should dispose of the cut-off plug, in order to prevent the hazard of electric shocks if it should be plugged into a 13 Amp socket in another part of your home.

### **2. IMPORTANT**

The wires in this mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

**GREEN & YELLOW - EARTH**

**BLUE - NEUTRAL**

**BROWN - LIVE**

If you fit your own plug the colours of the wires in the mains lead may not correspond with the markings identifying the terminals in your plug. Fit the plug as follows:

Connect the green and yellow (earth) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter «E», or the earth symbol  $\perp$ , or coloured green or green and yellow.

Connect the blue (neutral) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter «N», or coloured black.

Connect the brown (live) wire to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter «L», or coloured red.

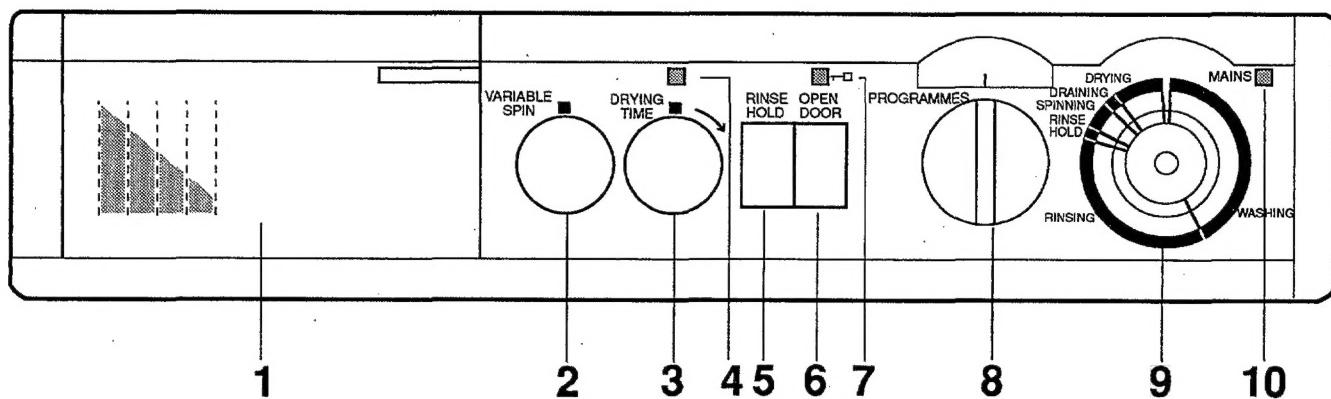
**3.1** There is a fuse incorporated into the moulded plug. When necessary this should be replaced by a 13 Amp BS 1362 fuse. Only ASTA approved fuses should be used.

**3.2** The fuse cover/carrier must be replaced if the fuse is changed. The correct fuse cover/carrier is the one shown by the coloured insert at the base of the plug.

**3.3** The plug must not be used if the fuse cover/carrier is lost. A replacement cover/carrier must be obtained from an Electrolux Service Centre. There is a list of these at the end of this instruction book.

# GETTING TO KNOW YOUR MACHINE

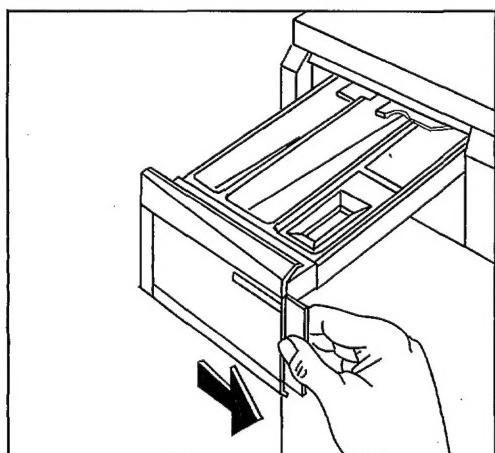
## Control panel



- 1 Detergent dispenser drawer and programme chart
- 2 Spin speed selector knob
- 3 Drying time selector knob
- 4 Drying indicator light (green)
- 5 RINSE HOLD button
- 6 OPEN DOOR button
- 7 Door locked light (red)
- 8 Programme selector knob
- 9 Programme phase indicator
- 10 Mains on light (green)

## Programme chart

There is a brief guide to the washing and drying programmes behind the front of the detergent dispenser drawer.



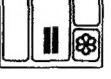
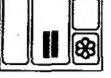
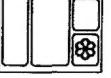
## Symbols and controls

	Pre-wash: left compartment in the detergent dispenser drawer.		Wash: central compartment of the detergent dispenser drawer.		Fabric softener - right compartment of the detergent dispenser drawer.		IWS-programme for washing wool, for garments in pure new wool with machine-washable label.
<b>VARIABLE SPIN</b>	Push to release the button. The spin speed can be reduced as follows (from MAX to 650):  <b>cotton and linen:</b> from 1200 to 650 rpm <b>synthetics:</b> from 850 to 650 rpm <b>wool:</b> from 1000 to 650 rpm.  If you wish to cancel the spinning phase completely, turn the dial to position  .	<b>OPEN DOOR</b>	Depress this button to open the door. The door is controlled by a safety device which releases it 1-2 minutes after the end of the programme. The door can be opened only when the «door locked» light (7) is off.	<b>PROG.</b>	Use this dial to select the required washing and drying programme. Press the dial in and turn it clockwise or anti-clockwise.  The pilot light (10) comes on and an acoustic signal will indicate that the programme has started.  If you wish to cancel a selected programme, turn the dial to programme «J» and an acoustic signal will indicate that the programme has been cancelled.  <b>Turn the dial to position «0» when the programme has finished.</b>	 This marker indicates each programme phase as it takes place.	
<b>DRYING TIME</b>	Push to release the button. To select the required drying time turn this knob <b>clockwise</b> . If you wish to wash-through-to-dry set a drying time at the beginning of the wash programme. At the end of the drying programme turn the dial to «0».  The indicator light (4) illuminates when a drying time has been selected. It goes out when the drying time selector knob is turned back to the «0» position.						
<b>RINSE HOLD</b>	After the synthetics and delicate programmes (except «Wool» programme and programme «C») the machine stops with water in the drum. This prevents any creasing which may take place if the clothes are left damp in the machine. If you wish to override this feature, press this button before selecting the programme. At the end the water will be drained and the clothes will be gently spun.						

# PROGRAMMES FOR COTTON AND LINEN (red sector)

**Max. load:** washing 6 kg (13 lbs)  
 drying 2.75 kg (6.5 lbs)  
 washing + drying 2.75 kg (6.5 lbs)

## WASHING

PROGRAMMES	DEGREE OF SOIL	COMPARTMENTS TO USE (  if required)	PROGRAMME DIAL POSITION	DESCRIPTION
 WHITES	Heavy		<b>95</b>	Wash at 95°C 4 rinses Spin
 WHITES	Normal		<b>60-70</b>	Wash at 60°-70°C 4 rinses Spin
 FAST COLOURED S	Normal		<b>60</b>	Wash at 60°C 4 rinses Spin
 NON-FAST COLOURED S	Normal		<b>30-40</b>	Wash at 30°-40°C 4 rinses Spin
4 RINSES			<b>A</b>	4 rinses, with additive, if required. Spin
SPIN			<b>D</b>	Long spin

## Water filling

30°/40°/50°C programmes - cold water filling  
 60°/70°/95°C programmes - hot and cold filling

## DRYING

Fabric type/ spin speed	Quantity lbs.	Store dry mins.	Iron dry mins.		Drying can be selected as a separate programme, or you can wash-through-to-dry by setting a drying time at the beginning of the wash programme. Please remember that the drying capacity is half the washing capacity.
Cotton and linen (long spin at 1200 rpm)	6.5	80-90	55-65		
	6	75-85	50-60		
	5	65-75	45-55		
	4	60-70	40-50		
	3	45-55	35-45		
	2	35-40	30-35		

# PROGRAMMES FOR SYNTHETICS, SPECIAL COTTONS, SILK AND WOOL

## (blue and green sector)

**Max. load:** washing 2 kg (4.5 lbs), wool 1 kg (2 lbs)  
 drying 1.75 kg (4 lbs) (wool should not be machine dried)  
 washing + drying 1.75 kg (4 lbs)

### WASHING

PROGRAMMES	DEGREE OF SOIL	COMPARTMENTS TO USE ( if required)	PROGRAMME DIAL POSITION	DESCRIPTION
SYNTETICS	Normal		<b>40-60</b>	Wash at 40°-60°C 3 rinses Stop with water left in drum (*)
SYNTETICS/ DELICATES	Normal		<b>30-40</b>	Wash at 30°-40°C 3 rinses Stop with water left in drum (*)
WOOL	Normal			Wash at 40°C 3 rinses Short spin
3 RINSES			<b>B</b>	3 rinses, with additive, if required. Stop with water left in drum (*)
SOFTENER			<b>C</b>	1 rinse with additive, if required. Short spin
SHORT SPIN			<b>F</b>	Draining of water and short spin.
DRAIN			<b>G</b>	Draining of water.
(*) SPECIAL COTTONS	Normal soil		<b>H</b>	Wash at 95°C 3 rinses Stop with water left in drum (*)

(\*) If the RINSE HOLD pushbutton has not been depressed.

### DRYING

Fabric type/ spin speed	Quantity lbs	Cupboard dry mins.
Synthetics (short spin at 850 rpm)	4	85-95
	3	70-80
	2	40-50
	1	35-40

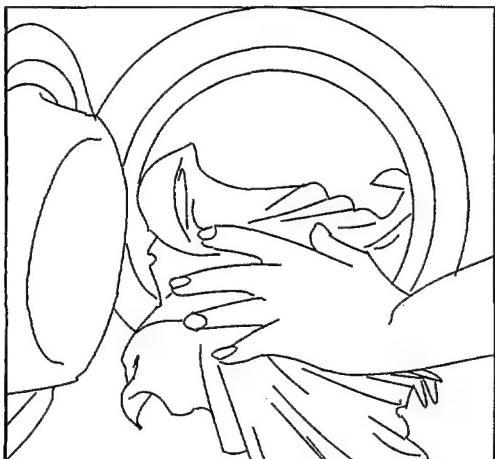


Drying can be selected as a separate programme, or you can wash-through-to-dry by setting a drying time at the beginning of the wash programme. Please remember that the drying capacity is half the washing capacity. **The automatic drying takes place only on programme «Synthetics, Delicates and programme «H».**

# USING YOUR MACHINE

## 1. Place the laundry in the drum.

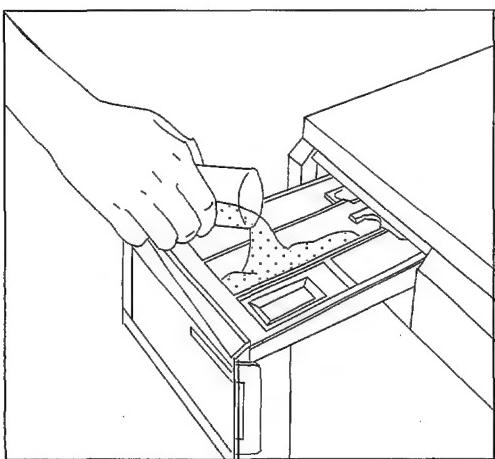
Open the loading door by pressing the OPEN DOOR button. Place the garments to be washed inside the drum one by one laying them as flat as possible. Close the door ensuring that the catch clicks into place.



## 2. Measure out the detergent into the dispenser drawer.

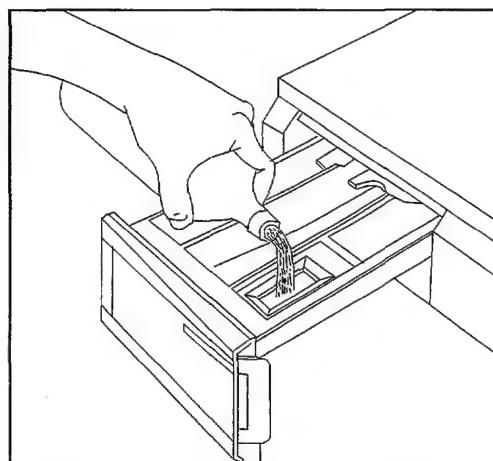
Pull out the detergent dispenser drawer from the control panel.

Measure out the amount of detergent required in a graduated glass and pour into the main wash compartment.



## 3. Add the fabric softener if required.

Pour the softener, if required, into the compartment marked  . Do not exceed the MAX level.



## 4. Press the RINSE HOLD button, if required

## 5. Select the drying time

(if you wish to carry out automatically the drying programme after wash).

Turn the time selector knob clockwise to the required time.

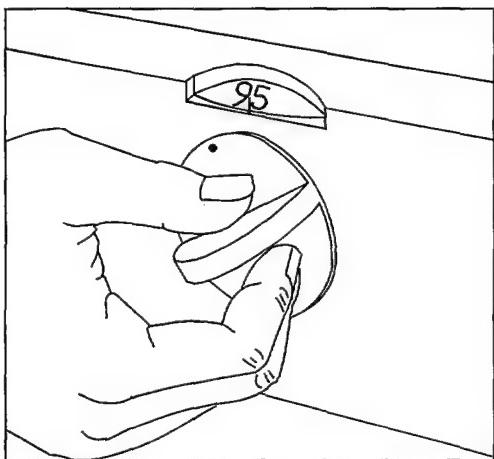
## **6. Select the required programme and start the machine**

Plug into the mains.

Turn on the water taps.

Check that the drain hose is correctly positioned.

Press the dial in and turn it until the programme coincides with the marker.



A brief acoustic signal indicates that the programme has started.

The mains on light and «door locked» light will come on.

If you have selected the drying time, the drying indicator light will also illuminate.

The programme phase indicator begins to turn.

## **7. The machine has finished the programme.**

The machine stops automatically.

If you have depressed the RINSE HOLD button, the water remaining in the wash tub must be drained before opening the door.

To do this, depress the button again or select programme «G».

Three acoustic signals indicate that the programme has finished.

Wait approximately two minutes before opening the door to give the electric locking mechanism time to release it.

You must not attempt to open the door until the «door locked» light is OFF.

**Turn the programme and drying time selector knobs to «0»; the mains on light and drying indicator light will go out.**

Turn the water taps off and unplug the machine from the mains.

Open the loading door by pressing the relevant button and remove the laundry.

Ensure that the drum is completely empty by rotating it with one hand.

Leave the door ajar for a while to eliminate the steam.

# HINTS ON WASHING AND DRYING

You are advised not to leave your laundry too long, especially when damp. Damp laundry produces mould and unpleasant smells.  
Mould stains cannot be removed.

## Sort your laundry.

Study carefully the chart in this booklet explaining the symbols used on clothes labels.

The following points are particularly important:

- a line under the bowl means that the garment cannot be washed using programmes for resistant fabrics such as cotton and linen;
- do not mix coloured garments with whites;
- antcrease materials like polyester/cotton should be treated as synthetics;
- non-resistant fabrics like acrylic and most curtain materials should be treated as delicate fabrics;
- the wool programme is designed specifically for pure new wool. Other types of wool and wool mixtures may shrink or felt if machine-washed.

Woollen garments should be spun briefly immediately after washing.

## Temperatures

When you see 40°-60° for example on the programme chart, it means that you can select 40 or 60 as you wish or a temperature between these two.

We suggest that white cotton and linen, if it is not excessively soiled, can be washed at 60° instead of 95°. There should be no reduction in performance, but there will be an energy saving of approximately 30%.

The same applies to a lesser extent to fast coloured garments.

They usually require a temperature of 60° but if they are not excessively dirty, you will have satisfactory results at 40°.

Garments with non-fast colours should not be washed at temperatures above 40°. If fast and non-fast colours are washed together, they should be treated as non-fast colours and therefore the temperature should not exceed 40°.

Resistant white and coloured synthetics can normally be washed at 60° but also in this case 40°C is sufficient if the laundry is not excessively dirty.

Delicate synthetics, synthetics with non-fast colours and woollen garments must never be washed above 40°. If only one of the labels specifies 30°C, this temperature must be selected for the whole wash. In most cases these garments can withstand 40° but the manufacturer of your washing machine cannot be held responsible for any damage caused by washing at temperatures higher than those specified.

In the programmes for delicate fabrics and wool there is a safety device in case a temperature higher than 40° is selected by mistake.

## How much laundry can be washed/dried in one load?

For cotton and linen items as well as for synthetics and wool refer to the quantities indicated on the programme charts.

Strictly speaking you should always weigh your laundry.

As weighing can be complicated, we suggest you estimate the weight according to how full the drum is:

### cotton and linen:

washing: drum full but not too tightly packed

drying: no more than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the drum

### resistant synthetics:

washing: no more than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the drum

drying: no more than  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the drum.

### delicate fabrics and wool:

washing: no more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the drum.

drying: no more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the drum.

Wool should not be machine dried.

## Before placing the laundry in the machine:

mend all tears, holes and ladders;

secure loose buttons and close poppers and zips; do not wash frayed garments - mend hems before washing;

remove all small objects from pockets. Nails, pins, clips and similar objects can seriously damage your washing machine and laundry;

remove curtain hooks;

wash coloured garments and in particular those with non-fast colours separately when washing for the first time. They are likely to lose colour the first time they are washed.

treat obstinate stains such as grass, rust, tar, paint, ink etc. with a stain remover before washing.

To remove paint stains, for example, use a volatile substance such as turpentine: in this case, you should wait for it to dry completely before washing. The manufacturer of your washing machine is not responsible for any damage deriving from the use of volatile, inflammable or toxic substances.

## Detergents

Under no circumstances use detergents such as soap or hand-wash detergents which are not suitable for use in a washing machine. They can badly damage your washing machine and laundry.

A liquid detergent can be used in the middle compartment of the dispenser drawer as long as you start the machine up straight away without pre-wash. You are advised to use powder detergents for temperatures over 40°.

Concentrated powder detergents can also be used. This type of detergent known as Ultra or Micro should be placed directly into the drum of the machine before the clothes are placed into it. As the machine is fitted with a recirculation system this allows the detergent to be dispensed evenly during the wash. DO NOT place Ultra or Micro detergent in the detergent dispenser drawer.

For pre-wash you are advised to use a specific biological detergent in powder form. Use an ordinary powder detergent for normal washing.

Special detergents are available for delicate fabrics and wool.

Here again, only detergents designed for use in washing machines must be used.

It may be advisable to use a liquid fabric softener when you are going to dry synthetic garments in the tumble dryer for example.

This prevents the fabrics becoming charged with static electricity.

## How much detergent?

Your washing machine is provided with a water circulation system which runs continuously as it has an independent circulation pump. This means that it uses detergent sparingly.

Initially you are advised to use the quantities specified by the detergent manufacturer. Subsequently it is worth experimenting to see if your laundry comes out clean with smaller quantities. You should also take into account the hardness of the water in your area; if you do not know how hard it is, ask your local water board.

If the drum is only half-full, you can obviously use less detergent: try with ¼ less.

The lime present in the water will in the long run cause fabrics to go grey and felt, especially at high temperatures.

Detergents contain substances which absorb the lime and therefore you should increase the doses if your water is hard. You can, however, use less detergent and compensate for the difference by using a specific water softening product.

## Drying

In this machine drying results from a continuous flow of hot air, produced by a turbine, which passes through the drum and takes away the humidity in the fabrics. This humidity is condensed within the machine by contact with cold water, and then drained through the normal outlet.

It is therefore essential that, throughout the drying process, the cold water inlet should be open and the drainage hose correctly positioned.

If the laundry is still too damp at the end of the drying programme, select a further drying time of at least 20 mins.

Always load laundry which has been well spun. The higher the spin speed, the lower the energy consumption and the shorter the drying time.

## Important!

Dry only items which have been washed with water. The following items must NOT be dried in the machine:

- items which have been dry-cleaned or which have been treated with chemical stain-removers;
- items in wool or mixed wool which shrink with heat;
- extremely delicate items such as silk or synthetic curtains;
- items in foam rubber;
- items in fibre glass;
- fabrics tending to fray as, for example, carding wool, cotton-wool or excessively frayed carpets.

# WASH CODE SYMBOLS

These symbols appear on fabric labels, in order to help you choose the best way to treat your laundry.

<b>Strong wash</b>						
<b>Delicate wash</b>						

<b>Bleaching</b>	Bleach in cold water	Do not bleach

<b>Ironing</b>	Hot iron max 200°C	Warm iron max 150°C	Lukewarm iron max 110°C	Do not iron

<b>Dry cleaning</b>	Dry cleaning in all solvents	Dry cleaning in perchlorethylene, petrol, pure alcohol, R 111 & R 113	Dry cleaning in petrol, pure alcohol and R 113	Do not dry clean

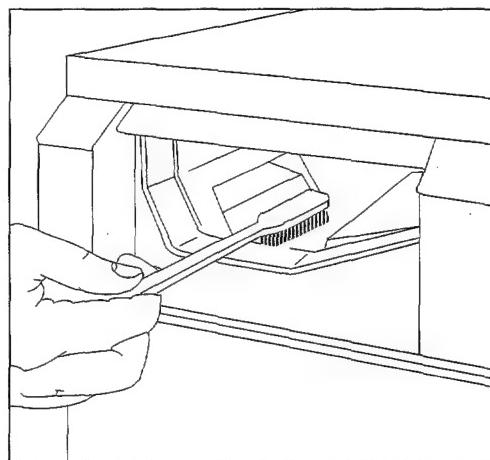
<b>Drying</b>	Flat	On the line	On clothes hanger	high temperature low temperature	Do not tumble dry

# MAINTENANCE

## Bodywork

The outside of the machine can be cleaned with warm water and a neutral non-abrasive household detergent. Wipe with clean water and dry after cleaning.

**Important:** do not use methylated spirit, diluents or similar products.

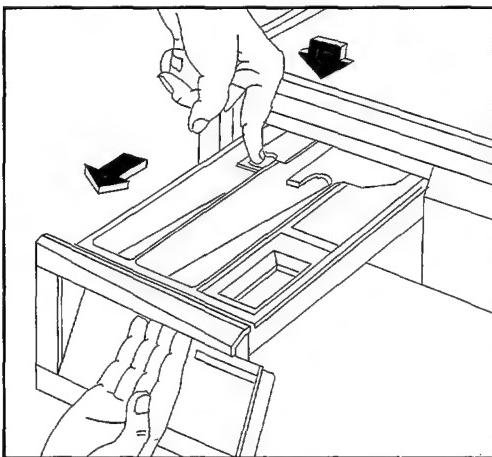


## Detergent dispenser drawer.

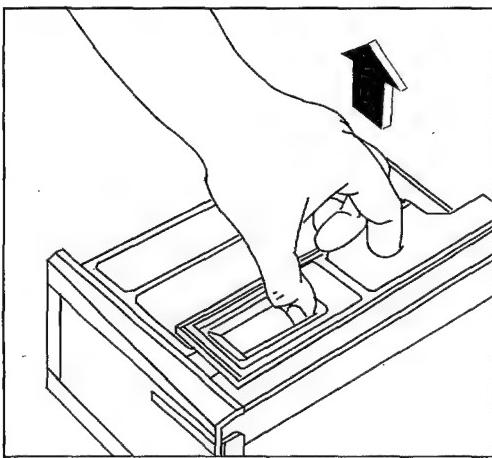
After a while detergents and fabric softeners leave a deposit in the drawer.

It should be cleaned from time to time with a jet of running water.

If necessary it can be removed completely from the machine by pressing the catch down at the top on the left.



To facilitate cleaning, the upper part of the fabric softener compartment can be removed.



## The drawer recess

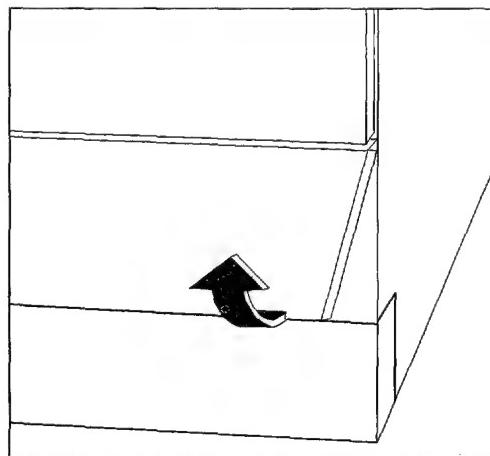
Detergent can also accumulate inside the recess which should be cleaned occasionally with an old toothbrush.

Once you have finished cleaning, replace the drawer and run a rinse cycle without laundry.

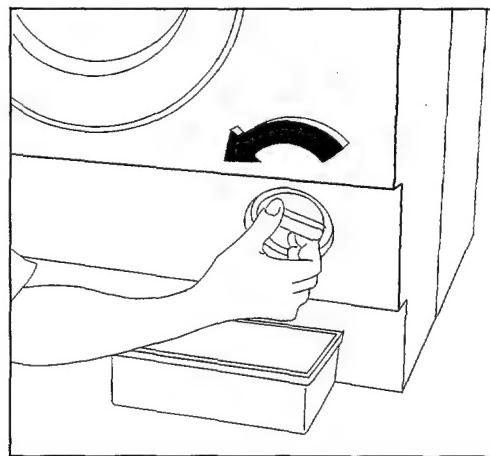
## The drain filter

The drain filter collects threads and small objects left in the laundry. **Check regularly that the filter is clean to ensure smooth running of your machine.**

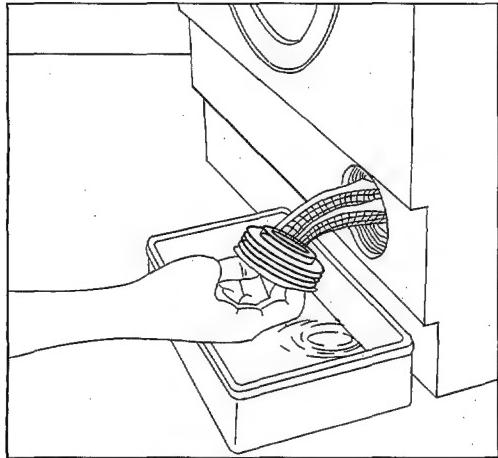
Remove the bottom front panel of the cabinet, gripping it from underneath and pulling it outwards.



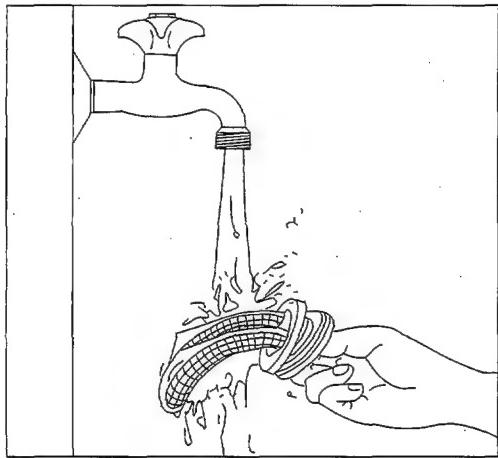
Place a bowl underneath and unscrew the filter by turning it to the left.



Remove the filter.



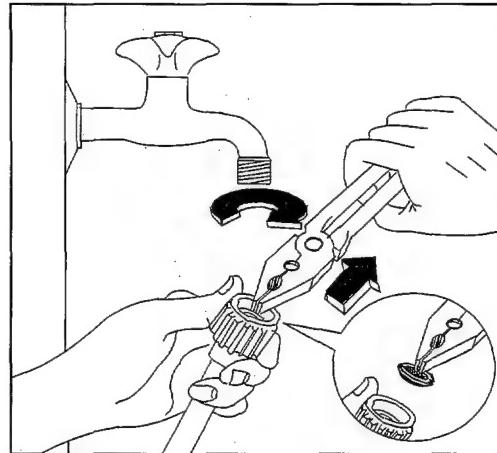
Clean it under a fast-running tap.



## The water inlet filters

If your water is very hard or contains traces of lime deposit, the water inlet filters may become clogged. It is therefore a good idea to clean them from time to time.

Turn off the water taps.  
Unscrew the water inlet hoses.



Remove and clean the filters using a hard bristle brush.  
Replace the filters and tighten up the inlet hoses.

### Warning

When the appliance is in use and depending on the programme selected there can be hot water in the filter. Never remove the filter during a wash cycle, always wait until the appliance has finished the cycle, and is empty. When replacing the filter, ensure it is securely retightened so as to stop leaks, and to prevent young children being able to remove it.

# SOMETHING NOT WORKING?

## If the machine does not start up:

- check that the door is firmly shut;
- check that the mains fuse is intact;

## If the machine does not fill even though the pilot light is on:

- is the tap on?
- is water coming out of the tap? Check.
- are the inlet hoses squashed or bent?
- are the filters of the inlet hoses clogged?

## If the machine empties as it fills:

- the end of the drain hose is too low.

## If the machine does not drain and/or does not spin:

- is the drain hose squashed or bent?
- is the drain filter clogged?

## If there is water on the floor:

- too much detergent or unsuitable detergent? The formation of foam can cause water leaks.
- is one of the joints or the tap leaking? It is not always easy to see as the leak often runs along the pipe.

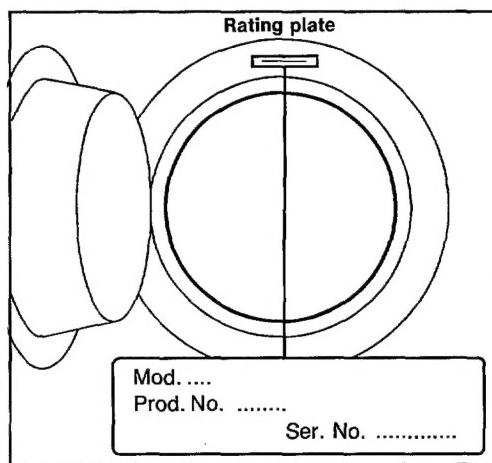
## If the machine vibrates or is too noisy:

- have all the transit bolts and packing been removed?
- is the machine touching something?
- are all the feet resting firmly on the ground? Have the lock nuts been secured?

## If the machine does not dry:

- has the drying time been selected?
- is the tap on?
- is the drain filter clogged?
- is the machine overloaded?
- is the selected drying time adequate to the purpose?

If you are unable to identify or solve the problem, consult our servicing department. Before telephoning, make a note of the make, model and date of purchase of your machine: the Service Department will require this information.



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